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- ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT: Associate Lecturer, University of Central Florida, School of Politics, Security, and International Affairs, 2020-Present.
- Lecturer, University of Central Florida, School of Politics, Security, and International Affairs, 2014-2020.
- Graduate Assistant, University of Georgia, Department of Political Science, 2010-2014.
- EDUCATION: University of Georgia, Department of Political Science, Ph.D.
- Dissertation: "Spatial Models of Presidential Behavior"
 - Advisor: Dr. Keith Poole
 - Exams Passed: American Politics, Methods
 - Reed Fellowship, 2010-2011
- New York University School of Law, J.D.
- Online Editor, *NYU Environmental Law Journal*
 - Student Bar Association Class Representative
 - Dean's Scholar (full-tuition merit scholarship)
- Stanford University, B.A., Economics & Political Science
- Honors and Distinction in Both Majors
 - Stanford Debate Society President
 - Phi Beta Kappa, Junior Year (top 2.5% of class)
- BOOKS: Under contract. An R Companion to Political Analysis, 3rd Edition. Thousand Oaks, CA: CQ Press, An Imprint of Sage Publications (with Philip H. Pollock III).
- Forthcoming in 2022. A Microsoft Excel Companion to Political Analysis. Thousand Oaks, CA: CQ Press, An Imprint of Sage Publications (with Philip H. Pollock III).
2019. Essentials of Political Analysis, 6th Edition. Thousand Oaks, CA: CQ Press, An Imprint of Sage Publications (with Philip H. Pollock III).
2019. An IBM SPSS Companion to Political Analysis, 6th Edition. Thousand Oaks, CA: CQ Press, An Imprint of Sage Publications (with Philip H. Pollock III).

BOOKS
(CONTINUED): 2018. A Stata Companion to Political Analysis, 4th Edition. Thousand Oaks, CA: CQ Press, An Imprint of Sage Publications (with Philip H. Pollock III).

2017. An R Companion to Political Analysis, 2nd Edition. Thousand Oaks, CA: CQ Press, An Imprint of Sage Publications (with Philip H. Pollock III).

ARTICLES: ^u = undergraduate student co-author ^g = graduate student co-author

2018/2019. “How to Transform the Judicial System: Lessons from the Institutionalization of Veterans’ Treatment Courts.” *New York University Journal of Legislation and Public Policy* 21(4): 841-902 (with Ramon Hinojosa and Komysa Hassan^u).

2019. “Why Appeals Courts Rarely Reverse Lower Courts: An Experimental Study to Explore Affirmation Bias.” *Emory Law Journal Online* 68: 1035-1058.

2018. “Formal Authority, Persuasive Power, and Effectiveness in State Legislatures.” *State Politics & Policy Quarterly* 18(3): 324-346.

2017. “Institutional Control of Redistricting and the Geography of Representation.” *Journal of Politics* 79(2): 722-726 (with Michael Crespín, Ryan Williamson^g, and Maxwell Palmer).

- Featured on *Washington Post*’s Monkey Cage Blog
- 4th most downloaded *Journal of Politics* article of 2017

2017. “Does the Presidency Moderate the President?” *Presidential Studies Quarterly* 47(1): 5-26.

- Interviewed by Tom Jacobs for “The Presidency Does Not Moderate the President: History Suggests Trump Will Never Reach Out to People Who Didn’t Support Him,” *Pacific Standard Magazine*, Feb. 14, 2017.
- Analysis reported by Christopher Ingraham, “How the Presidency Changes the President,” *Washington Post*, March 1, 2017.

2016. “Redistricting and the Geography of Individual Contributions to Congressional Candidates.” *Political Research Quarterly* 69(2): 220-232 (with Michael Crespín).

2016. “Can Independent Redistricting Commissions Lead Us Out of the Political Thicket?” *Albany Government Law Review* 9(2): 288-340 (with Michael Crespín, Jessica Hayden^g, and Tyler Yeargain^u and Angel Sanchez^u).

2015. “Alphabetically Ordered Ballots and the Composition of American Legislatures.” *State Politics & Policy Quarterly* 15(2): 171-191.

- Featured on LSE’s American Politics & Policy Blog

ARTICLES
(CONTINUED):

2015. "Laboratory Experiments in Public Management Research: Unfulfilled Promise." *Public Management Review* 17(10): 1518-1542 (with Derrick Anderson^g).

2014. "Race, Ethnicity, and Alphabetically Ordered Ballots." *Election Law Journal: Rules, Politics, and Policy* 13(3): 394-404.

2014. "Formulating Voting Rights Act Remedies to Address Current Conditions." *American Politics Research* 42(3): 376-408.

- Featured on LSE's American Politics & Policy Blog

2014. "Putting Hoover on the Map: Was the 31st President a Progressive?" *Congress & the Presidency* 41(1): 49-83.

2013. "The Voting Behavior of President Obama's Appointees on the U.S. Courts of Appeals." *Judicature* 97(3): 137-143 (with Susan Haire and David Hughes^g).

2013. "Renovating the Multi-Door Courthouse: Designing Disputing Resolution Systems to Improve Results and Control Costs." *Harvard Negotiation Law Review* 18 (Spring): 281-347.

ADDITIONAL
PUBLICATIONS:

2021. "Instructor's Solution Manual to Chapter Exercises in A Microsoft Excel Companion to Political Analysis, Forthcoming on Sage Edge (for Instructors only).

2019. "Instructor's Solution Manual to Chapter Exercises in The Essentials of Political Analysis, 6th Edition." Published on Sage Edge (for Instructors only).

2019. "Instructor's Solution Manual to Chapter Exercises in An SPSS Companion to Political Analysis, 6th Edition." Published on Sage Edge (for Instructors only).

2018. "Instructor's Solution Manual to Chapter Exercises in A Stata Companion to Political Analysis, 4th Edition." Published on Sage Edge (for Instructors only).

2017/18. "Book Review: Gerrymandering in America: The House of Representatives, the Supreme Court, and the Future of Popular Sovereignty" (By Anthony McGann, Charles Smith, Michael Latner, and Alex Keena)." *Political Science Quarterly* 132(4): 766-768.

2017. "Instructor's Solution Manual to Chapter Exercises in An R Companion to Political Analysis, 2nd Edition." Available from Sage Publishing on Instructor Resource Site.

2016, "Inequality, Access to the Courts, and Judicial Integrity." In International Human Rights and Justice. Ed. by Douglas Hodgson. Nova Science Publishers (with Allison Trochesset, UGA Graduate Student, and Tyler Yeargain, UCF Undergraduate Student).

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ADDITIONAL PUBLICATIONS (CONTINUED):

2011. "Future Directions in Data Analysis and Collection." *Law and Courts: Newsletter of the Law and Courts Section of the American Political Science Assoc.* 21(3): 16-19 (with John Szmer).

2011. "Book Review: The Litigation State: Public Regulation and Private Lawsuits in the U.S. (By Sean Farhang)." *Journal of Politics* 73(4): 1284-1286.

2008. "Comprehensive Arbitration of Domestic Relations Cases in Georgia." *Georgia Bar Journal* (Aug.): 20-29.

WORKING PAPERS:

"The Scientific Analysis of Trial Errors." Book project.

"Examining the Effect of Redistricting on State Legislative Elections." (with Michael Crespín, Ryan Williamson, and Maxwell Palmer).

"Polarization of the U.S. Presidency."

"George Washington and the Siren Call of Political Factions."

"Opening Another Door at the Courthouse: The Need for Political Science Research on Alternative Dispute Resolution."

"Beyond the Gold Watch: Decision Making of Senior Judges on the Circuit Courts of Appeals" (with Susan Haire).

"Public Values, Political Participation, and the Study of Public Administration" (with Derrick Anderson).

"Contested Identities, Law, and Politics: Implications of Growing Hispanic Representation in Federal Judiciary" (with Susan Haire and David Hughes).

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

Lead Instructor at the University of Central Florida:

- Scope and Methods of Political Science
- Judicial Process and Politics
- American Constitutional Law: Institutional Powers & Constraints
- American Constitutional Law: Civil Rights & Civil Liberties
- Guns, Freedom, and Citizenship
- Topics in Public Policy
- The American Presidency

Teaching Assistant at the University of Georgia:

- American National Government
- Introduction to Political Science

PROFESSIONAL
EMPLOYMENT: Legal Aide, Georgia Senate Democratic Caucus. Tracked legislation for Senate Minority Leader Robert Brown, created HOPE for Georgia Social Media Campaign to promote Sen. Jason Carter's alternative reform package for Georgia HOPE Scholarship Program.

Director, Center for Legal Solutions, Inc. A non-profit organization that coordinated mediation and arbitration sessions for private parties as well as training sessions for professional mediators.

Associate Attorney at Gorby, Reeves, Peters, and Burns, P.C. Litigated civil and commercial cases for boutique Atlanta law firm, secured two seven-figure and multiple six-figure settlements for plaintiffs.

PRESENTATIONS: "Should Florida Use an Independent Redistricting Commission?" Florida Political Science Association Annual Conference, 2021.

"Scientific Analysis of Trial Errors: A Promising Contribution to Harmless Error Analysis." American Political Science Association Annual (APSA) Conference, 2019.

"Experimental Research on Legal Decision Making." Invited Talk at the University of Central Florida, Dept. of Legal Studies. Jan. 2018.

"Research on the U.S. Circuit Courts of Appeals." Invited Talk at the University of Mississippi, Dept. of Political Science. Dec. 2016.

"Institutional Control of Redistricting and the Geography of Representation." APSA Conference, Philadelphia, 2016 (with Michael Crespin, Ryan Williamson, and Maxwell Palmer).

"Polarization of the U.S. Presidency." APSA Conference, Washington, D.C., 2014.

"Redistricting and Individual Contributor Behavior in Congressional Elections, 1990-2010." APSA Conference, Washington, D.C., 2014 (with Michael Crespin).

"Redistricting and Individual Contributions to Congressional Candidates," APSA Conference, Chicago, Illinois, 2013 (with Michael Crespin).

"The Habits of Highly Effective Georgia Legislators," Georgia Political Science Association (GPSA) Conference, Savannah, Georgia, 2011.

"Is Chemistry More Important Than Experience on the Federal Courts of Appeals?" GPSA Conference, Savannah, Georgia, 2011.

"Computer Programming for Political Science Research," Poster Presentation, 11th Annual Graduate Student Association Interdisciplinary Conference at the University of Georgia, 2011.

PRESENTATIONS
(CONTINUED):

“The Impact of Ballot Order on U.S. Legislative Elections,” Panel Presentation at Political Science Graduate Research Conference at Georgia State University, 2011.

“Recent Developments in Dispute Resolution Services.” Presentation to the Atlanta Bar Association Dispute Resolution Section, 2010.

ACADEMIC
SERVICE:

Departmental Service:

- Undergraduate Program Coordinator (2016-2018)
 - Responsibilities:
 - Chair, Undergraduate Curriculum Committee, Scholarship & Awards Committee, Undergraduate Assessment Committee
 - Submit assessment plans and results for two majors
 - Oversee academic experiences for 1,300 majors
 - Coordinate faculty presentations at orientation sessions
 - Review and approve course plans for students on probation
 - Review equivalencies of transfer and overseas study credits
 - Accomplishments:
 - Established Senior Scholars Program for outstanding students
 - Created Online Pegasus Planning Course for probation students
 - Created Exit Course for graduating seniors
 - Updated Department’s online orientation presentations
 - Updated catalog entries for 2 majors, 7 minors, 2 certificates
 - Facilitated development of 3 new undergraduate classes
- Undergraduate Curriculum Committee, Member
- Diversity and Inclusion Committee, Member
- Coordinator for Individual Liberties Certificate
- Prelaw Advisor
 - Advise students on law school admissions
 - Conduct annual law school applications workshop

College of Sciences Service:

- Instructor/Lecturer Promotion Committee (2015-16)
- Liaison to Student Accessibility Services Academic Collaborative

Honors Thesis Committees: Payton Kuenzli (Chair), Jared Rosenholtz (Chair), Amber Mariano (Chair), Richard Russo, Bradley Caouette (won College of Sciences Outstanding Thesis Award 2016/17), Angel Sanchez, Philip DiSprito, Komysa Hassan (won 2017 Bledsoe Young Award for outstanding undergraduate writing), and Shannon Fagan (won 2018 Bledsoe Young Award).

Reviewer for *American Journal of Political Science*, *American Politics Research*, *American Political Science Review*, *Journal of Political Science Education*, *Journal of Politics*, *Law & Society Review*, *Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory*, *Public Administration*, *Public Management Review*, *Social Science Quarterly*, and *State Politics & Policy Quarterly*.

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- ACADEMIC SERVICE (CONTINUED):
- Founded the SPIA Methodological Society at University of Georgia to promote graduate students' understanding of statistical methods.
- Founded the Political Science Data Group, a Facebook group with over 15,000 members worldwide that supports political science research by disseminating information about useful datasets. See <https://www.facebook.com/groups/poliscidata/>
- PROFESSIONAL SERVICE:
- Expert Witness, *Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee and Democratic Senatorial Campaign Committee vs. Matthew Dunlap, Maine Secretary of State*, Maine Superior Court, No. CV-20-29.
- Research Consultant, Oklahoma Restricting Study for Let's Fix This, Oklahoma.
- PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS:
- American Political Science Association
Member, Presidents and Executive Politics Section
- Florida Political Science Association
- Georgia Political Science Association
- Midwest Political Science Association
- State Bar of Georgia
- SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT:
- [Teaching Assistant Program](#). Performs automated, flashcard style review of political science terminology in multiple courses.
- Developed customized web-based data coding program for National Science Foundation funded research on "Judicial Diversity and Appellate Decision Making" as paid technical consultant.
- Published [poliscidata package](#) on Comprehensive R Archive Network (CRAN). Bundles datasets and suite of functions used in book [An R Companion to Political Analysis, Second Edition](#). CQ Press, An Imprint of Sage Publications. (Co-authored with Philip H. Pollock III).